

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Canceled)

2. (Canceled)

3. (Canceled)

4. (Canceled)

5. (Canceled)

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7. (Canceled)

8. (Canceled)

9. (Canceled)

10. (Currently Amended) A method of providing patient histories to a site ~~remote from any hospital or emergency room~~ and at the location of a patient in need of medical attention, comprising the steps of:

providing patient histories at a centralized location in a global database coupled to the Internet by a server; and,

wirelessly accessing a predetermined patient history over the Internet from a wireless terminal at said site and uploading patient information from said site.

11. (Original) The method of Claim 10, wherein said patient history is only transmitted when authorized by the patient.

12. (Original) The method of Claim 11, wherein authorization is in the form of an access code carried by the patient.

13. (Previously Amended) The method of Claim 12, wherein said access code is obtained from the patient and is transmitted to the server associated with said global database.

14. (Original) The method of Claim 13, wherein the access code is carried by the patient;

15. (Original) The method of Claim 14, wherein the access code is in the form of a bar code and wherein a bar code reader is used to read the access code and transmit the access code to the server associated with said global database.

16. (Original) The method of Claim 14, wherein the access code is carried on a bracelet.

17. (Original) The method of Claim 14, wherein the access code is imprinted on a card adapted to be carried.

18. (Previously Amended) The method of Claim 10, wherein said global database is decentralized through the use of regional databases, each having its own server and each carrying patient histories so that access to the patient history can be on a real time basis to permit timely treatment.